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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<i>In re</i> application of:	)	Attorney Docket No. MIPFP068
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Toshihiro SHIMA	)	Examiner: B. McCommas
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Application No. 10/726,471	)	Group Art Unit: 2625
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### REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

**Commissioner for Patents**  
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Applicant requests that the Amendment being filed concurrently herewith be considered, and submits that this paper satisfies the submission requirement set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.

Applicant is attaching a check in the amount of \$810.00 to cover the RCE fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

In the event additional fees are due to enable the filing of this RCE, the Commissioner (or the Director) is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. MIPFP068).

Respectfully submitted,  
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